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In re application of: Clark et al.				Group No: 3771				
Application No: 10/627,591 Confirmation No. 2973				Examiner: Douglas, Steven O				
Filed: July 25, 2003				Attorney Docket No: 53229-US-CNT[2] (NK.0029.10)				
Title: AEROSOLIZED ACTIVE AGENT DELIVERY				October 14, 2009 San Francisco, CA 94107				
	 							
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P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450			□ A	☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136				
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						Large Entity	Small Entity	
☐ Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance ☐ Notice of Appeal (form PTO/SB31) ☐ Drawings ☐ Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement ☐ PTO-SB08 Form ☐ Citations ☐ Terminal Disclaimer ☐ Postcard for Return				ne Month		\$130.00	\$65.00	
			□ T	wo Months		\$490.00	\$245.00	
			T	hree Months			\$555.00	
				Total \$ <u>0.00</u>				
			☑ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made in case applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.					
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Fees for Extra Claims								
	Claims remaining Highest num					Rate Additional Fee		
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Total Claims	28	30		0	\$52.00	\$26.00	\$0.00	
Independent Claims	5	5		0	\$220.00	\$110.00	\$0.00	
Multiple Dependent Claims				0	\$390.00	\$195.00	\$0.00	
Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement								
						Total	\$0.00	
Fee Payment				ee Deficiency				
Extension Fee	\$0.00			⊠ If any additional extension and/or fee is required, please charge Deposit Account No. 10-0258.				
Fee for Appeal Brief	\$0.00			and/or ☑ If any additional fee for claims is required, please charge Deposit				
Total	\$0.00			Account No. 10-0258.				
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